AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The listing of the claims will replace the previous version, and the listing of the claims:

LISTING OF THE CLAIMS

1. (currently amended) A cap for a container with an opening and an extraction controlling projection, comprising:

a cap main portion to be screwed in the container to close the opening of the container and having a hollow shape with a closed upper end and an open lower end, said cap main portion having a plurality of window holes disposed along a periphery at a lower side thereof and a thick wall portion formed below the window holes and having a smooth outer surface and grooves at an inner side thereof, and

a ring member disposed inside and closely fitted with the cap main portion so that the ring member fitted in the cap main portion can be seen through the window holes, said ring member having engaging pieces formed on an inner periphery thereof for hooking on the extraction controlling projection of the container, and a plurality of fin members at an outer periphery thereof to project upwardly, said fin members being located in the grooves of the thick wall portion so that the ring member is detachably integrated with the cap main portion ~~so that the ring member fitted in the cap main portion can be seen through the window holes~~.

2. (original) A cap according to claim 1, wherein said ring member has an outer surface detachably fixed to an inner surface of the cap main portion such that after injection molding one of the cap main portion and ring member, the other is molded with the one of cap main portion and the ring member.

3. (currently amended) A cap according to claim 1, wherein ~~said ring member includes a plurality of fin members at an outer periphery thereof to project upwardly, and said cap main portion includes a thick wall portion having grooves for receiving the fin members therein so that the ring member is detachably integrated with the cap main portion,~~ said fin members ~~having~~ include projecting ends inclined outwardly in a direction of crossing a cylindrical axis of the cap main portion.

4. (original) A cap according to claim 1, wherein said engaging pieces of the ring member are arranged such that when the cap main portion is screwed in the upper portion of the container, the engaging pieces deform elastically upwardly to move over the extraction controlling projection, and pass over the extraction controlling projection, and when the cap main portion is completely screwed, the engaging pieces hook under the extraction controlling projection.

5. (currently amended) A cap according to claim 1, wherein said ring member includes a plurality of ring components extending in a peripheral direction and connected together through thin wall portions so that the ring components can be separated from each other.

6. (original) A cap according to claim 1, wherein said engaging pieces are arranged at a lower side of the ring member around the inner periphery thereof to be spaced apart from each other, said engaging pieces being inclined inwardly and upwardly in an engagement condition with the container.

7. (currently amended) A combination comprising a container and a cap,

said container having a cylindrical portion, an opening at the cylindrical portion, and an extraction controlling projection formed around the cylindrical portion, and

said cap including a cap main portion screwed into the cylindrical portion of the container to close the opening and having a hollow shape with a closed upper end and an open lower end, said cap main portion having a plurality of window holes disposed on a lower side thereof along a periphery thereof and a thick wall portion formed below the window holes and having a smooth outer surface and grooves at an inner side thereof; and a ring member disposed inside and closely fitted with the cap main portion so that the ring member fitted in the cap main portion can be seen through the window holes, said ring member having engaging pieces formed on an inner periphery thereof for hooking on the extraction controlling projection of the container, and a plurality of fin members at an outer periphery thereof to project upwardly, said fin members being located in the grooves of the thick wall portion so that the ring member is detachably integrated with the cap main portion ~~so that the ring member fitted in the cap main portion can be seen through the window holes~~.

8. (cancelled)

9. (new) A combination according to claim 7, wherein said fin members include projecting ends inclined outwardly in a direction of crossing a cylindrical axis of the cap main portion.

10. (new) A cap according to claim 3, wherein said ring member includes a cylindrical portion, said fin members projecting from an outer surface of the cylindrical portion.

11. (new) A cap according to claim 10, wherein said fin members are arranged in a peripheral direction with an interval between two adjacent fin members.